

Chambers of Chief Judge A. Joe Fish

U.S. Courthouse, 1100 Commerce St., Rm. 1528, Dallas, TX 75242
Tel: (214) 753-2310 Fax: (214) 753-2317

A. Joe Fish
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Yale 1965 BA, 1968 LLB
Began Service: March 11, 1983
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 95th Judicial District (1980-1981);
Judge, Texas Court of Appeals, Fifth District (1981-1983)

Legal Practice: McKenzie & Baer (1968-1980)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve (1968-1974)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Dallas Bar Association; State Bar of Texas

Staff

Law Clerk **Angela Colmenero** (214) 753-2310
Law Clerk **Cynthia Daley** (214) 753-2310
Education: Southern Methodist 1996 JD
Law Clerk **Scott Thomas** (214) 753-2310
Court Deputy [Criminal Cases Only] **Susan Hudson** (214) 753-2315
Education: Southern Methodist 1985 BA, 1985 BS
Court Reporter **Cass Casey** (214) 753-2310
Judicial Assistant [Civil cases only] **Eleanore Piwoni** (214) 753-2310

Chambers of District Judge Mary Lou Robinson

226 Federal Bldg., 205 E. Fifth Ave., #F13248, Amarillo, TX 79101
Tel: (806) 324-2354

Mary Lou Robinson
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1926
Education: Texas 1948 BA, 1950 LLB
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Judicial: Judge, Potter County Court (1955-1959); Judge, Texas District Court, 108th District, Potter County (1960-1973); Justice, Texas Court of Civil Appeals, Seventh Supreme Judicial District (1973-1977); Chief Justice, Texas Court of Civil Appeals, Seventh Supreme Judicial District (1977-1979)

Legal Practice: Partner, Robinson & Robinson (1950-1955)

Current Memberships: Amarillo Bar Association; American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; National Association of Women Lawyers; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Association

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Charles A. Freas** (806) 324-2354
Education: Texas Tech 1988 JD
Law Clerk **Mario T. Price** (806) 324-2354
Judicial Paralegal **Melba Dockery** (806) 324-2355
Courtroom Deputy **Sharon Sauls** (806) 324-2331
Official Court Reporter **Stacy Mayes Morrison** (806) 372-1175

Chambers of District Judge Sidney A. Fitzwater

1520 U.S. Courthouse, 1100 Commerce Street, Dallas, TX 75242
Tel: (214) 753-2333

Sidney A. Fitzwater
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953
Education: Baylor 1975 BA, 1976 JD
Began Service: 1986
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 298th Judicial District, Dallas County (1982-1986)

Legal Practice: Associate, Vinson & Elkins (1976-1978); Associate, Rain Harrell Emery Young & Doke (1978-1982)

Current Memberships: Dallas Bar Association; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation

Staff

Law Clerk **Ryan D. Marsh** (214) 753-2333
Education: Stanford 2004 JD
Law Clerk **Brian W. McKay** (214) 753-2333
Education: Tulsa 2004 JD
Court Reporter **Pam Wilson** (214) 753-2332
Court Deputy **Pat Esquivel** (214) 753-2336
Judicial Secretary **Debra Eubank** (214) 753-2333

Chambers of District Judge Sam R. Cummings

C-210 Mahon Federal Bldg., 1205 Texas Ave., Lubbock, TX 79401
Tel: (806) 472-7459

Sam R. Cummings
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Texas Tech 1967 BBA; Baylor 1970 JD
Began Service: December 11, 1987
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Legal Practice: Partner, Culton, Morgan, Britain & White (1970-1987)

Current Memberships: State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation

Staff

Law Clerk **Boyd L. Clark** (806) 472-7459
Education: Texas Tech 2003 JD
Law Clerk **Mark W. McBrayer** (806) 472-7459
Education: Texas Tech 2002 JD
Court Coordinator **Shirley Hartman** (806) 472-7359
Secretary **Delva Hernandez** (806) 472-7459

Chambers of District Judge John H. McBryde

401 U.S. Courthouse, 501 West Tenth Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102
Tel: (817) 850-6650 Fax: (817) 850-6660

John H. McBryde
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1931
Education: Texas Christian 1953 BS; Texas 1956 LLB
Began Service: 1990
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Cantney & Hanger (1956-1969);
Partner, McBryde & Bennet (1969-1990)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation; American College of Trial Lawyers; American Judicature Society; State Bar of Texas; Texas Bar Foundation

Chambers of District Judge John H. McBryde continued

Staff
Career Law Clerk **Susanna Johnson** (817) 850-6653
Education: Southern Methodist 1985 JD
Law Clerk **William D. Taylor** (817) 850-6652
Education: Southern Methodist 2004 JD
Secretary **Linda Runnels** (817) 850-6650

Chambers of District Judge Jorge A. Solis

U.S. Courthouse, 1100 Commerce Street, Room 1654, Dallas, TX 75242
Tel: (214) 753-2342 Fax: (214) 753-2352

Jorge A. Solis
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: McMurry 1973 BA; Texas 1976 JD
Began Service: 1991
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Assistant Criminal District Attorney, State of Texas (1976-1981); Criminal District Attorney, Taylor County, State of Texas (1983-1987); Special Prosecutor, West Central Narcotics Task Force (1988)

Judicial: Judge, Texas District Court, 350th Judicial District (1989-1991)

Legal Practice: Moore and Holloway (1981-1982); Sole Practitioner (1988)

Staff

Law Clerk **Isaac Morris** (214) 753-2344
Education: Northwestern 2004 JD
Law Clerk **Cheri Thomas** (214) 753-2343
Education: Texas 2004 JD
Courtroom Deputy/Work Leader **Brenda Webb** (214) 753-2346
Court Reporter **Shawn McRoberts** (214) 753-2349
Judicial Assistant **Beverly Church** (214) 753-2351

Chambers of District Judge Terry R. Means

201 U.S. Courthouse, 501 W. Tenth St., Fort Worth, TX 76102-3640
Tel: (817) 850-6670 Fax: (817) 850-6677

Terry R. Means
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Southern Methodist 1971 BA, 1974 JD
Began Service: November 5, 1991
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Judicial: Justice, Texas Court of Appeals, 10th Appellate District (1989-1991)

Legal Practice: Means & Means (1975-1989); Smith, Ralston, Russell & Wright

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Eldon B. Mahon Inn of Court; State Bar of Texas; Tarrant County Bar Association; Waco-McLennan County Bar Association

Staff

Career Law Clerk [Part-time] **Cheryl Raper** (817) 850-6670
Education: Southern Methodist 1990 JD
Law Clerk **Kristin A. Taylor** (817) 850-6670
Education: Tulane 2004 JD
Law Clerk [Part-time] **Kristi N. Verna** (817) 850-6670
Education: Washburn 1996 JD
Court Reporter **Ana Warren** (817) 850-6681
Judicial Assistant **Brenda Eberle** (817) 850-6670

Chambers of District Judge Sam A. Lindsay

U.S. Courthouse, 1100 Commerce Street, Room 1312,
Dallas, TX 75242-1003
Tel: (214) 753-2365

Sam A. Lindsay
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: St Mary's U 1974; Texas 1977 JD
Began Service: September 1, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Attorney, City of Dallas (1979-1998)

Legal Practice: Staff Attorney, Texas Aeronautics Commission (1977-1978)

Current Memberships: Center for American and International Law; Dallas Bar Association; Higginbotham Inn of Court; J.L. Turner Association

Staff

Courtroom Deputy **Debra Graves** (214) 753-2368
Court Reporter **Charyse Crawford** (214) 753-2373
Judicial Assistant **Darnecia R. Campbell** (214) 753-2365

Chambers of District Judge Barbara M. G. Lynn

1572 U.S. Courthouse, 1100 Commerce St., Dallas, TX 75242
Tel: (214) 753-2420

Barbara M. G. Lynn
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1952
Education: Virginia 1973 BA;
Southern Methodist 1976 JD
Began Service: February 14, 2000
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



Legal Practice: Attorney, Carrington Coleman Sloman & Blumenthal, LLP (1976-1999)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association, Litigation Section; American College of Trial Lawyers, Fellow; Patrick Higginbotham Inn of Court, Master; Southern Methodist University Law School, Executive Board; National Conference of Federal Trial Judges

Staff

Law Clerk **David Alexander** (214) 753-2419
Law Clerk **Stacey Garrett** (214) 753-2418
Courtroom Deputy **Lori Montgomery** (214) 753-2421
Education: Texas (Arlington) 1996 BA
Court Reporter **Sue Engledow** (214) 753-2325
E-mail: sengledow@sbeglobal.net
Judicial Assistant **Judy Flowers** (214) 753-2420

Chambers of District Judge David C. Godbey

U.S. Courthouse, 1100 Commerce Street, 13th Floor, Dallas, TX 75242
Tel: (214) 753-2700 Fax: (214) 753-2707

David C. Godbey
District Judge

Date of Birth: September 17, 1957
Education: Southern Methodist 1978 BSEE; Harvard 1982 JD
Began Service: August 7, 2002
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Irving L. Gorbberg, United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit (1982-1983)

Judicial: Judge, 160th District Court, State of Texas (1994-2002)

Legal Practice: Associate and Partner, Hughes & Luce, LLP (1983-1994)

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